

# DECISION

Request Number: 09

## Protest

Event: Nacra 2019 World Championship Race Number: 9

Hearing Date: 2019-08-08

### PARTIES AND WITNESSES

**Initiator:** NACRA - 20 - SUI 113

**Respondent(s):** NACRA - 18 - NED 029

**Witnesses:** NED 11 - NED 10

### VALIDITY

**Objection to Jury:** No

**Within Time Limit:** Within Time Limit

**Incident Identified:** Yes

**Proper Hail:** Protest hailed

**Red Flag Displayed:** Yes

**DECISION:** Request Valid

### PROCEDURAL MATTERS

### FACTS FOUND

SUI 113 and NED 029 was sailing to the windmark, SUI on starboard and NED on port and in this position they entered in the zone. NED take and became starboard crossing the bearing of SUI. NED lost speed and SUI became overlapped inside. A collision arrived without damages. No penalty executed.

**Diagram:** Diagram not endorsed

### CONCLUSIONS AND RULES THAT APPLY

After passing head to wind inside the zone, NED 029 failed to give SUI 113 mark- room, as required by RRS 18.3. Although it was reasonably possible NED 029 did not avoid contact with SUI 113 as required by RRS 14.

### DECISION

NED 029 DSQ race n.9

**Date & Time:** 2019-08-08 20:11 CEST

### PROTEST COMMITTEE

**Chaired By:** Francesca Quercini (ITA)

**Committee Members:** Marco Cimarosti (ITA) Hans Kieft (president)

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